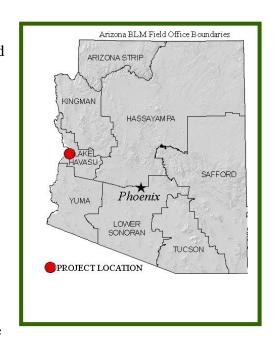
Islander Mine Project

Need

The Islander Mine is located in Lake Havasu City on land managed by the Bureau of Land Management (BLM). The mine has two adits and one shaft, with three entrances. The Island Mine Project, part of the BLM-Arizona's American Recovery and Reinvestment Act (ARRA) projects, consists of the installation of access barriers and fencing to reduce public safety risks and to protect sensitive wildlife habitat and cultural resources. This project will continue work that was previously funded through a grant.

Recovery Act Funding

Information about the funding allocated for this BLM-Arizona ARRA project will be released after the contract has been awarded. Professional contractors will be hired to gate or foam openings due to the unstable nature of the soils in the area.



Benefits

The reclamation work will elimate the hazard the dangerous shafts and adits pose to the public. The closure will prevent entry by the public, thereby mitigating this public safety hazard. This will allow the public to have safe recreation opportunities on public lands adminstered by the BLM.



More Information

For more information on this BLM project, contact the BLM-Arizona ARRA Coordinator, at 602-417-9641.